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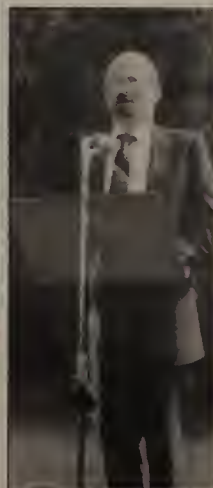
## OTTAWA JEWISH

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# BULLETIN & REVIEW



More than a thousand people gathered on Monday, May 21 at the Jewish Community Cemetery in Gloucester for a Memorial Service in response to the desecration and vandalization of 20 tombstones. The tremendous show of support from the Jewish Community, politicians and many ethnocultural groups "reinforced the basic goodness of our fellow man," Dr. Eli Rabin, president of the Jewish Community Council, said.

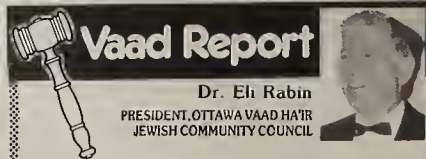
In a similar gathering the day before, more than 500 people congregated in Nepean's Civic Square to hear politicians from all levels of government proclaim unanimous support for Ottawa's Jewish Community.

In a motion that called on all Canadians to reject such destructive and violent incidents, the House of Commons unanimously condemned the desecration of Jewish cemeteries in Canada.

The Jewish Community Council has received many calls and letters of support from Jews and non Jews alike, as well as an especially warm letter from our Project Renewal community in Neot Herzl, Israel.







## Vaad Report

Dr. Eli Rabin  
PRESIDENT, OTTAWA VAAD HA'IR  
JEWISH COMMUNITY COUNCIL

### WALKATHON

On Sunday, May 27th the annual UJA Walkathon was held. Over 1000 people attended the event and a record number of Chai walkers participated. It is estimated that over \$70,000 was realized from this event. Congratulations to the chairmen Howard and Ellen Osterer and Jeff and Felice Pleet.

### STATE OF ISRAEL BONDS

On June 11th Harry Leikin will be honored by the State of Israel Bond Organization at a dinner at which Abba Eban will be the keynote speaker. This celebration coincides with Mr. Leikin's ninetieth birthday and the community wishes him "many happy returns of the day" and our proverbial wish "that he may live to be 120." Mr. Leikin has had the zechos (privilege) of a long and productive life and has also been fortunate to be able to see many members of his family play a significant role in the affairs of the Jewish Community of Ottawa.

Monies invested with the State of Israel bonds will be used for the settlement of Russian "olim." We look forward to the support of this function by the Jewish Community.

### THE ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual Meeting of the Jewish Community Council will be held on June 13th, 7:00 p.m. This meeting will honor many individuals who have committed themselves to the affairs within the Jewish Community. Many volunteers spend countless hours working on behalf of the United Jewish Appeal, or spend many hours in the volunteer sector so vital for the operation of the many agencies delivering service to our community. Others play a vital role in chairing committees which, by necessity, enhance the smooth operations of the community. It is essential that we recognize, in a formal way, their efforts on behalf of all of us.

We will be presenting the Gilbert Greenberg Distinguished Service Award to Abe and Bertha Palmer and the Freiman Family Young Leadership Award to Morris Presser.

At annual meetings the community bids farewell to our friends at the Israeli Embassy who, after their tour of duty, will be returning to Israel. The following members of the staff will be returning to Israel: Gershon Zohar, first counsellor and Onn Ben-Ivry, security advisor. The Ottawa Jewish Community has always had a very special relationship with the Embassy of Israel and we have always welcomed all members of the staff into our midst. At the time of departure we take the opportunity to recognize their participation in our community and wish them a "fond farewell" and *lehitraot*.

### ANTI-SEMITISM IN OTTAWA

On Friday, May 18th the Jewish Community was notified that the cemetery had been vandalized and that Nazi symbols had been sprayed on tombstones. It was a contemptible act of violence, probably carried out in the middle of the night by people who are irreverent, disrespectful and cowardly. The very symbols of hate and destruction violated the memories of loved ones and reminded us that even our dead cannot rest peacefully. The entire community reacted quickly and vigorously. Prime Minister Mulroney issued a strong statement condemning the perpetrators.

Hans Daigeler (MPP, Nepean) Bob Chiarelli (MPP, Ottawa West) and Mark Maloney (Alderman) quickly organized a rally at the Nepean City Hall at which representatives of government, at all levels, denounced the perpetrators of the act and expressed their solidarity with the Jewish community. The expression was a spontaneous demonstration of total community disgust with racism, bigotry and discrimination of all kinds. On Monday, May 21st a special memorial service was held at the Jewish Community Cemetery. David MacDonald (MP, Rosedale) spoke on behalf of Prime Minister Mulroney. Herb Gray (MP, Windsor and Leader of the Official Opposition), Audrey MacLaughlin (Leader of the NDP), and Yvonne O'Neill (MP, Ottawa Rideau) spoke eloquently in their condemnation of those who would deprive individuals of their rights to live freely as minorities. Both rallies clearly demonstrated that there was a great deal of support for the Jewish community in its struggle against anti-Semitism, and its struggle to help preserve human rights of all minority groups. We sincerely appreciate everyone's efforts in safeguarding our rights. It is clear that we must not cower before these despicable people. They must not be permitted to attack any community with impunity.

## Dorothy Nadolny named to chair Friends of Hebrew U. chapter

Edward J. Winant, national president of the Canadian Friends of the Hebrew University has announced the appointment of Dorothy Nadolny as incoming president of the Ottawa chapter of the organization. She succeeds Dr. Freda Paltiel in the position.

Mrs. Nadolny plans to renew the chapter activities by restructuring and strengthening its board of directors and by offering exciting educational and social programs featuring distinguished scholars from the Hebrew University of Jerusalem to the community at large.

Dr. Howard L. Adelson, chairman of the Academic Council of the American Friends of the Hebrew University will be the guest speaker at the opening meeting of the Ottawa chapter on Tuesday, June 26 at 8:30 p.m., 3645 Revelstoke Dr.

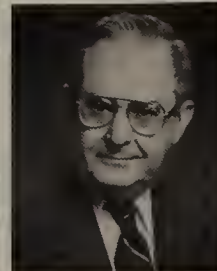
The distinguished historian, scholar and author is professor of medieval history at City University of New York and an associate member of the University Seminars on Medieval Studies and on the History of Legal and Political Thought of Columbia University.

Dr. Adelson is also chairman of the Executive Council of the American Jewish Historical Society.

The agenda also includes the finalization of plans in regard to activities for the coming year.



Dorothy Nadolny  
Ottawa chairman



Dr. Howard L. Adelson  
Guest speaker

Of particular interest is the chapter's involvement in the International Conference of the Friends of the Hebrew University being held in Montreal, Quebec from August 15-19, 1990.

The conference, which will be under the distinguished patronage of Prime Ministers Brian Mulroney and Yitzhak Shamir, will be highlighted by exciting social events and stimulating presentations by outstanding Hebrew University professors. Five hundred Friends of the University from Canada and around the world are expected to attend.

The new Ottawa chapter will play host to conference participants in the nation's capital on Thursday, August 16. The day's program, chaired by Shirley Streen, will include a

private visit to "A Coat of Many Colours" exhibit at the Museum of Civilization; a tour of the National Art Gallery with its architect Moshe Safdie; a special luncheon at the Chateau Laurier Hotel and closing buffet reception at the home of His Excellency Israel Gur-Arieh, ambassador of Israel to Canada.

The day will also mark the signing of a formal academic exchange agreement between the Hebrew University of Jerusalem and University of Ottawa.

A family membership is \$50. For more information on the Ottawa chapter call Dorothy Nadolny at 521-9775 or Carolyn Steinman, Eastern Region executive director of the Canadian Friends of the Hebrew University at (514) 932-2133.

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## Commentary

Cynthia Engel  
EDITOR



At three-thirty on that beautiful May holiday afternoon, we stopped short.

Stopped mowing the lawn or planting flowers.

Stopped rallying at tennis or putting a golf ball.

Stopped chatting on the telephone or reading a novel.

In droves we left the comfort of our homes, climbed into our cars and, from all across the city, from north and south and east and west we backed out of our driveways and pointed our vehicles toward Highway 31.

We didn't talk a great deal en route, the occasion was not a happy one.

Nor, when we found ourselves at stoplights surrounded by familiar cars and familiar faces, did we lower the windows to indulge in humorous exchanges, but rather, with a look of resignation, simply nodded or raised a hand in acknowledgement and waited for the signal to change, allowing us to continue on our sad journey.

Silently we made our way onto the cemetery grounds in ones and twos and threes until, at four o'clock, the designated area was filled to overflowing all the way back to the encircling fence and out through the gates onto the soft shoulder of the Bank Street highway.

We were children and adults, young faces and old, straight bodies and bent, formally attired and casually dressed, come to share in a Memorial Service — our cemetery had been violated, our dead disturbed.

Each of the speakers who addressed us — our community leaders, our politicians — did so eloquently, with sincerity and heartfelt emotion.

And, as the mournful notes of the El Moich Rachamim pierced the hearts of all of us gathered there, we were overcome by the pain of the destruction wrought by man's inhumanity to man.

And, as a community, we wept.

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## Operation Exodus, CHEO benefit from Hillel Gr. 4 rummage sale

Both Operation Exodus and the Children's Hospital of Eastern Ontario have benefitted from the proceeds of a rummage sale held at Hillel Academy recently.

Inspired by an incident in *Alison's Ghost*, a novel they were studying, Arlene Glube's grade four class staged the event in April.

The students brought in a variety of saleable items such as toys, games and books, and predetermined times were established for each class in the school to visit the sale with a view to making their purchases.

Happily, for the young entrepreneurs and their beneficiaries, a substantial amount of money was raised.

Roslyn Kimmel, incoming chairman UJA Women's Division, was invited to personally accept the cheque apportioned for Operation Exodus. Mrs. Kimmel used the occasion to further educate the youngsters about Operation Exodus, showing them a video of Russian Jews arriving in Israel.



Hillel Academy's fundraising grade 4 students. Back row, far left, class teacher Arlene Glube. Next to her, incoming UJA Women's Division Chairman Roslyn Kimmel accepts cheque for Operation Exodus.

The students will be going to CHEO to present their cheque in person. There they will be treated to a tour during their visit. Through the sale, they raised enough money to buy a stroller for the hospital.

The project took weeks of planning during which the class learned good organizational skills and were instilled with a good sense of community and charity work.

## Mailbag

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### Teen Concerned About Local Acts of Anti-Semitism

Dear Editor:

In the past few weeks, we have learned of horrible events that have occurred in communities around the world. Incidents of anti-Semitic behaviour have stunned society as we realize that not even the dead may rest in peace.

I am currently a tenth grade student at Lisgar Collegiate Institute and I, along with 20 other Ottawa teens just recently returned from a very emotional and difficult trip which began in Poland and ended in Israel.

Our mission was called "The March of the Living."

Along with 4000 youths from all over the world we returned to the concentration camps of Auschwitz, Birkenau, Treblinka and Majdanek. We witnessed the outcome of man's inhumanity to man and we mourned for those who perished.

On April the 22nd, Holocaust Memorial Day, we all joined together to retrace the "March of Death" that countless people took before being forced into the gas chambers at Birkenau.

This time however, the March was a "March of the Living."

From all corners of the world we joined together with pride in our hearts informing all that we are still here and that we have not forgotten. We will never forget.

While in Poland we were subject to anti-Semitism in several different forms. Although this did not surprise us it horrified us when we observed it with our own eyes. It was hopeful that it would be the first and last time I would ever have to see such things. Upon my return to Canada I realized that I was wrong.

The desecrations of cemeteries have occurred in places such as France, Italy, England and Israel but it didn't take long for the acts of vandalism to spread to Canada. It is frightening as a Jewish youth

of today who felt I was living in a free and safe country that I might no longer be safe. These incidents have occurred in Quebec City, in Montreal and just recently here, in my own city of Ottawa.

We cannot let this continue.

Preventing the denial of the Holocaust is one step that must be taken to fight back against these barbaric acts. We have come to realize that this prejudice is not only something that occurred some forty years ago, it is something happening today, in our own backyards. I am somewhat reassured to know that these incidents are not being ignored and that all

levels of government, and local communities are speaking out against these vandals.

No two people are alike. That is what makes us all individuals and makes us all unique. Education must begin to teach people at a young age to accept the differences of others and learn from them.

We cannot afford to have those who are ignorant of our differences as a part of our society. Ignorance contributes to racial prejudice and anti-Semitism.

Together we must try to put an end to these anti-semitic acts as soon as possible.

Rochelle Ironstone

### Most Welcome Bouquets

Dear Editor:

The *Ottawa Jewish Bulletin & Review* continues to be a source of pride and timely information for our community. The Vaad Reports, prepared by President Dr. Eli Rabin, are excellent in presentation and content. The Editor's Commentaries are written in a stimulating and interesting fashion.

I wish to congratulate Cynthia Engel for her painstaking efforts in assembling each issue of the Bulletin with a high degree of skill and readership appeal.

On the auspicious occasion of the 10th Anniversary of the Jewish Social Services Agency, it is appropriate to extend a warm Yasher Koach to the Director Elaine Rabin, the professional staff and committed group of volunteers for their valuable contributions of service to the community.

Volunteerism and service to one's community are among the most precious precepts of Judaism and humanity. The concept of "people helping people" has made the Ottawa Jewish Community the outstanding entity befitting the nation's capital city.

Thus, to our Vaad Council, as well as to Executive Director

Geroy Koffman and his professional staff, I know that this message of commendation will be echoed by many readers of the Bulletin. I would be remiss if I did not express a similar note of gratitude to the president and director of the J.C.C., Ralph Kassie and Ron Boro and their staff members for the superior programming they offer at the Centre.

Herman S. Roodman

### Producing Documentary

Dear Editor:

I am currently producing a documentary about the American response to the Holocaust.

This program will examine how the American media, American government, and the American population responded to the information available on the destruction of European Jewry.

Anyone who participated in rescue attempts on any level or anyone who has a personal story to share on this subject or knows of someone who does, please contact me.

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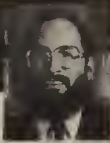
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## View from the Pulpit



**United We Stand**  
By Rabbi Mordecai Berger  
Young Israel

The shocking attack on our cemetery affected us all. It was reassuring to see the response from our government officials. My local Alderman, Mark Maloney, came to shul Friday night to inform our congregation of Sunday's rally in Nepean, and express his very deep regrets for the dastardly vandalism.

It was further comforting to see the response of our Jewish community. With very little notice, great numbers responded, in solidarity, to this tragedy. Each member of our community recognized that the attack on Bank St. was not merely an attack on a cemetery, but rather an attack on the entire Jewish community.

United we stand! That is a dual message for the outside world and for ourselves. The Talmud teaches the following story: Reb Eleazer once came home from the home of his teacher. Riding on his donkey he felt very happy and proud because he had studied much Torah. Suddenly he met an exceedingly ugly man who greeted him, "Peace upon you, Rabbi." Reb Eleazer did not respond. Observing the man he exclaimed, "Reyka (boor), how ugly you are! Are all the people of your city as ugly as you?" The stranger answered, "I do not know. I suggest, though, that you go and inform the Craftsman who made me, 'How ugly is the vessel you have made.'"

Reb Eleazer realized that he had done wrong. He dismounted from the donkey, prostrated himself before the man and said, "I submit myself to you. Forgive me."

The man replied, "I will not forgive you until you go to the Craftsman who made me and say to him, 'How ugly is the vessel you have made.'"

Reb Eleazer walked behind him until they reached his city. When the people of the city came out to meet him with the greeting of "Peace be upon you, Teacher, Master," the man asked them, "Who are you greeting? If this man is a teacher," he exclaimed, "may there not be any more like him is Israel."

The people were told the entire story and they pleaded with the man to forgive Reb Eleazer.

The man replied, "For your sakes I will forgive him, but only on the condition that he will not act this way in the future."

The simple message of the tale speaks for itself. Regardless of the differences that exist between us there is a common bond of respect and dignity that must be practised at all times. We must not wait for tragedies, G-d forbid, to unite us, rather let solidarity and respect be our ongoing commitment.



### Appreciative Committee Thanks Staffer

Lillian Laks, who recently retired as Vaad director of Community Relations, was presented with a book on the artist Marc Chagall in appreciation of her efforts on their behalf by members of the Holocaust Remembrance Committee with whom she worked closely.

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it's coming...**

look for more information  
in the upcoming issues  
of the "Bulletin"

## Conference of rabbis discusses the resurgence of anti-Semitism

BRUSSELS — Anti-Semitism in the Soviet Union affects only a small part of the population, Moscow's Rabbi Adolf Shayevitch told more than 100 rabbis from 17 countries at a meeting held here recently.

The biennial Conference of European Rabbis brought together rabbis from Western and Eastern Europe, as well as a large delegation from the United States.

They discussed resurgent anti-Semitism, the physical and spiritual well-being of Soviet Jews, and religious Jewry's relations with the European Community, among other

topics.

The conference, chaired by Lord Immanuel Jakobovits, outgoing chief rabbi of Britain and the Commonwealth, was held at E.C. headquarters under strict security measures.

According to Rabbi Albert Guigui of Brussels, its primary objective is recognition by the E.C. that it is the main voice for religious Judaism in Europe.

The rabbis met only a few days after the brutal desecration of a Jewish cemetery in Carpentras in southern France. They took note of the horror expressed by European heads

of state and other leading personalities over that incident, and said they appreciated the demonstrations of solidarity with Jews against all forms of anti-Semitism.

The outbreak of anti-Semitism in the Soviet Union was a topic of anti-Semitism. Soviet rabbis recognized as community heads by the Soviet government. Shayevitch of Moscow and Chaim Levits of Leningrad, were reported to have said there is not really an upsurge of anti-Semitism in the Soviet Union.

The two rabbis, who are attending the conference for the first time, said that anti-Semites are enjoying a freedom of expression they didn't have in the past.

## Engaged

Clara and Sidney Bleet of Winnipeg announce the engagement of their daughter Marilyn Lucille to Abe, son of the late Millie and Ben Nadrich. Wedding to take place at Congregation Beth Shalom on September 9, 1990.

## It's A Boy

Bulka-Shonek: Yocheved and Moïse are thrilled to announce the birth of their firstborn son on 11 Sivan, 5750 (June 4, 1990). Mother and son well. Delighted grandparents are Rabbi and Mrs. Bulka of Ottawa, Rabbi and Mrs. Shonek of New York. Great-grandparents are Rabbi and Mrs. Bulka of Jerusalem, Mr. and Mrs. Jakobovits of Montreal, Mr. and Mrs. Speiser of Miami.

## It's A Girl!

Lazear-Tomiuk: Stuart and Lillian (ne Tomiuk) are delighted to announce the birth of a daughter, Alisa Naomi, 8 pounds 6 ounces at the Riverside Hospital, April 23, 1990. A sister for Elliot Maurice. Proud grandparents are Mary and Mark Tomiuk of South Carolina and Ann and Art Lazear of Ottawa.

## It's A Boy!

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## From Soup to Nuts

By Donna Karlin

Nothing compares to the flavour and aroma of perfectly ripe strawberries. They are sweet enough naturally not to need added sugar, wonderful eaten alone, but complement other ingredients beautifully. They are used in everything from pies to beverages, cakes to soufflés. To preserve them for winter, flash freeze them on cookie sheets, then transfer to plastic bags.

### Strawberry Pie

10" baked pie shell, cooled 2 tsp. lemon or orange juice  
5 cups strawberries, washed, 1 1/4 cups sugar  
hulled and dried Sweetened whipped cream

1 1/2 Tbsp. Cornstarch

Arrange half the berries in the cooled pie shell. Mix the cornstarch into the juice. Crush the other half of the strawberries and place in non-reactive saucepan with the sugar and cornstarch mixture. Stir well to combine. Bring to a boil, then reduce heat and simmer for 10-12 minutes until thickened and clear. Stir constantly to prevent scorching. Cool to room temperature. Spoon over berries in shell and chill at least an hour before serving. Top with slightly sweetened whipped cream. Serves 8-10.

### Frozen Strawberry Soufflé

6 egg yolks 1 cup strawberries, mashed  
1 cup sugar 1/2 cup fresh orange juice

1 cup sugar 6 egg whites  
1/3 cup fresh orange juice

1 1/2 cups mashed 2 1/2 cups whipping cream,  
strawberries whipped

Chopped unsalted pistachio nuts

Beat yolks until thick and lemon coloured. Gradually add sugar and beat until dissolved. Add mashed berries. Place in top of double boiler over boiling water and cook until thick, whisking constantly. Cool. Add orange juice, 1 Tbsp. at a time, blending well after each addition. Chill. In saucepan, cook sugar and orange juice over medium high heat, until soft ball stage. Beat egg whites until soft peaks form. Slowly pour in hot syrup beating on high speed until stiff and shiny and completely cooled. Tie a collar of 4" foil around the top of 1 1/2 quart soufflé dish. Fold whipped cream into chilled yolk mixture. Then fold in mashed berries. Lastly, fold in meringue. Pour into prepared dish and freeze until solid. Remove collar. Press pistachio nuts into sides (if desired). Let sit at room temperature for 15 minutes. Can drizzle raspberry sauce over soufflé just before serving, if desired. Serves 8-10.

### Strawberry Roll

4 eggs Pinch salt  
1 cup sugar 2 cups whipping cream,  
5 Tbsp. water whipped with sugar to taste  
1 scant cup flour 1 pint strawberries, washed,  
1 tsp. baking powder hulled and sliced  
1 tsp. vanilla Icing sugar

Grease jelly roll pan and line with parchment. Grease this also. Preheat oven to 375 degrees. Beat eggs well. Add sugar and beat until creamy. Add water and beat for 15 minutes. Combine flour with baking powder and salt. Add with vanilla to batter and beat until smooth. Spread onto prepared sheet and bake 12-15 minutes. Invert onto tea towel that has been lightly dusted with icing sugar. Remove parchment and cut off hard ends. Roll up with the towel, transfer to a rack and chill. To fill, unroll gently and spread with whipped cream. Cover with sliced strawberries. Reroll and dust with icing sugar. Serves 8-10.

### Microwave Strawberry Jam

4 cups strawberries, hulled 1-1/4 cups sugar  
washed and dried 2 tsp. fresh lemon juice

Toss together the berries and sugar in 2 quart dish. Let stand for 5 minutes. Uncover and stir well. Recover and cook on HIGH for 10-12 minutes longer until very thick. Pass through food mill or purée in processor. Stir in lemon juice and pour into sterilized jars. Seal tightly. Makes 1 1/2 cups.

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## Book Review

Sharon Drache  
BOOK REVIEW EDITOR



### Deception

By Philip Roth

Simon and Schuster, 208 pages, \$23.95 (cloth)

Adulterous intimacy is the glue holding together a series of intense dialogues between a married, middle-aged American man from New Jersey and his married English mistress.

Conversations before and after making love blend personal histories with an emotional and physical union, stolen from legitimate lives.

But what is real and what is imagined? Philip Roth plays the usual game of employing almost too powerful alteregos, Nathan Zuckerman and E.L. Lonoff. He skirts between identities including an alias, Philip, to emphasize the slipping away of one's self in any intense relationship.

Clinging to reality in his conversations with his mistress results in repeated discussion of the same topics preoccupying Roth throughout his writing career: sex and religion.

*Deception* is described as Roth's most provocative novel about erotic life since *Portnoy's Complaint*.

Readers may recall how obsessed teenage Portnoy was with his budding sexuality. They might also recall his portrayal of mother, Mrs. Portnoy, an obtrusive and demonic individual continuously interrupting her son's pleasure-seeking activity behind the closed door of the family washroom.

Mother, the enabler, has mellowed through the years. By

middle-age, the women in one's life liberate a man; help mothers recede from incarnations of demons or angels into mere human beings.

But in the case of the fictional Philip from Newmark a determined and persistent father takes over where mother left off.

Roth writes: "My father still lives at the boil. He's got an opinion about everything and often it's not mine. I sometimes have to suppress being a fourteen-year-old with my father. Rather than waiting to die, sitting with my father I sometimes feel I am waiting for life to begin."

### House of cards

According to Roth's central character, alterego, Philip (daring for him to use his own name), life is a house of cards except for two reliable standbys: man's insatiable desire (we're speaking of lust here) and anti-Semitism.

It is the curious combination of carnality as positive and self-perpetuated Jewish paranoia as destructive that gives spice to Roth's narrative.

He sums it up when he and his mistress chat: "So our story isn't a love story — it's a cultural story. That's the one that interests you." "That one always interests me." "That explains the Gentile woman, does it? You fall in love for the anthropology." "Could be

worse.

"There are other ways of addressing anthropological differences, you know. There's the old standby, hatred. There's xenophobia, violence, murder, there's genocide..." "So, you're kind of the Albert Schweitzer of cross cultural f---"

But the joke about Jewish xenophobia is not a joke to Roth. It is historical reality for most 20th century Jews who simply had three choices: to stay in Europe, go to Palestine or come to America.

All three had negative aspects: respectively, almost certain death and/or suffering; risk of death and/or suffering (various Arab-Israeli wars since 1948; Arab riots and strikes before 1948), and finally the ultimate demon, the melting pot.

Particularly incisive are Roth's views on anti-Semitism in Britain. As long as Jews are at the centre of British life (he cites the Sieffs, the Seligman and the Montefiores), they are respected. It is as if they are forced to play the role of rich men.

Roth appears to be saying that the chosen role is often the one imposed.

## Partners of Two Backgrounds

a program of the Jewish Community Centre/  
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## E. Germany wants Brunner

BONN, (JTA) — East Germany has announced that it has asked Syria to extradite Alois Brunner, one of the most notorious Nazi war criminals known to be alive. He is reportedly living in Damascus.

The Syrian government has not yet responded to the request. Damascus has consistently denied in the past any knowledge of Brunner's whereabouts, and coldly turned down extradition requests by West Germany and France.

East Berlin's move was seen as a further demonstration of goodwill toward Israel.

Last month, the East German parliament formally acknowledged a measure of responsibility for Nazi crimes against the Jews, which East Germany had denied for over 40 years, and begged forgiveness of Israel and the Jewish people.

Brunner, 78, is held responsible for sending at least 100,000 Jews to death camps.

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## The new Soviet Aliyah

# Israelis greet immigrants with both joy, fear

(Part 3)

By Allison Kaplan  
JERUSALEM (JTA) — There are some things needed for the successful resettlement of Soviet Jews in Israel that money can't buy.

Jobs can be created, housing can be built — but this alone won't make the Soviet olim feel welcome.

Only their Israeli neighbors can do that.

The charismatic mayor of the city of Ra'anana, Ze'ev Bielski, was one of the first Israeli leaders to say openly that the Israeli government and the Jewish Agency for Israel must make special efforts to avoid alienating veteran Israeli citizens in their enthusiasm to help new Soviet immigrants.

To illustrate his point, Bielski labelled his pilot project for the direct absorption of Soviet Jews in Ra'anana "Natasha-Rachel."

### Hopes and dreams

Natasha, he explains to his Diaspora audiences, represents the hopes and dreams of the Soviet immigrant families.

Rachel represents the aspirations of the Israelis, both the pioneering Ashkenazim who built the country, and the thousands of Sephardic Jews from Iraq, Morocco and other countries who underwent the trying absorption of the 1950s and '60s.

"If Rachel sees us working to give Natasha a nice apartment, good furniture, and a secure

job, and she has none of these things," Bielski asks, "how is she going to feel?"

To an impressive extent, Israeli society is rising to the occasion and welcoming their brethren from the Soviet Union with open arms. A spectrum of organizations and individual volunteers have offered clothes, furniture and helpful advice to the new arrivals.

Without such a positive spirit of voluntarism, direct absorption in Ra'anana and elsewhere could not succeed.

### Worrisome fact of life

But to many Israelis, while the current Soviet influx may be a blessing for Zionism, in a practical sense it is a somewhat worrisome fact of life.

For while most are bappy the Soviet Jews are getting out and pleased that thousands of them are going to Israel, that joy is severely tempered with apprehension that they will eventually have to pay a heavy price for the Soviet aliyah.

In a country where unemployment is high and the price of housing already far outreaches salary levels, the prospect of more competition for jobs and desirable housing is a cause for worry.

Just ask your average cabdriver.

"Where are the Soviets going to find work?" asks Yossi, a cabby from Jerusalem.

"There's no jobs here at all — not here in Jerusalem, not in Tel Aviv, not in Haifa."

Shimon, who drives a cab in Tel Aviv, laments, "And what about our Israeli youth? It's already hard for them to find work, and they are leaving the country."

Young Israelis, even those who are relatively well-off, are the most worried, since they, like the new olim, want to build their lives, purchase a home and begin a career.

Levi and Noa, a Tel Aviv couple about to wed, are successful Israelis. They are young, educated and about to get married. Levi, 28, is an accountant and Noa, 24, works in a bank.

They currently live in an apartment in a fashionable neighborhood in northern Tel Aviv. But after their wedding, they will move into Levi's parents' home in the central town of Hadera.

### No money

They are making this move because they have no money to buy their own apartment now, and if they continue renting, they will never be able to save money to buy their own place.

"Don't get me wrong," Levi says of the Soviet Jews. "I'm happy that they're getting out. We want them to come. But we don't want to pay that much for them."

He resents, in particular, the easier mortgage terms an immigrant couple can receive, which will cover more than half the total cost of the apartment. He and Noa can only get a mortgage for a fraction of the total

cost — they must save up the rest.

"We are professionals, we have jobs, and we don't see the day when we will have our own home," Levi says.

Like countless other young Israelis, Levi spent a year and a half in the United States, working as a carpet salesman.

He contends that if he hadn't had his accounting degree to (Continued on page 18)

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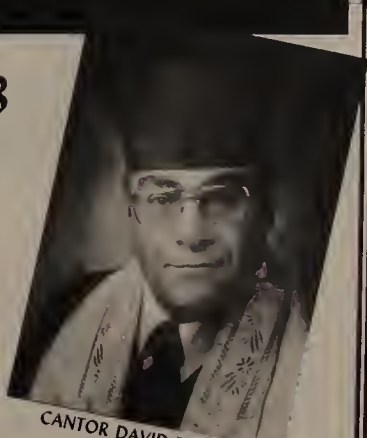
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by Deanna Silverman

### For Toddlers to 6 Year Olds

How do I decide whether or not to recommend a Jewish picture book? A good Jewish children's picture book is good because it's a good book. I'd better explain that statement.

The prime no-no's are texts that oversimplify, preach and bore and rhymes and rhythms that don't quite work. Illustrations that confuse, frustrate and bore or don't match the mood and tone of the story should also be avoided.

For toddlers to 6 year olds, look for books that are simple, colorful and happy. The books should build self-esteem, extend imagination and knowledge, and exude warmth.

In practice this means: that concept and text should closely relate to the child's developmental stage and experiences; that illustrations should be large, explicit, colorful, humorous and with enough detail to promote questions and discussion; that endings should be warm and comfortable.

Kar-Ben Copies, Inc. recently sent me three new releases, available in hard-bound and paperbound, that I'll review to demonstrate these principles.

**BIBLE HEROES I CAN BE**  
By Ann Eisenberg  
Illustrated by Rosalyn Schanzer  
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24 pages Ages 3-6

**A HOLIDAY FOR NOAH**  
By Susan Remick Topek  
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**ALEF IS ONE**  
A HEBREW ALPHABET COUNTING BOOK  
by Katherine Janus Kahn  
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**BIBLE HEROES I CAN BE** accomplishes three goals in less than 100 words. It introduces young children to 10 Biblical heroes and heroines. For each historic figure, the book describes one major trait or activity and relates it to a child's experience. Like Noah, I can build and like Rebecca I am kind to animals.

Charming pictures depict each Biblical incident and the child in a related activity. The contrast between the Biblical scenes and the child's scenes invites further story-telling and discussion.

In all, a simple confidence-building concept book.

**A HOLIDAY FOR NOAH** unites a young boy's fun at a Jewish nursery school with his favorite snack time food.

"Is it a holiday?" Noah asks on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. By Friday Noah has stopped asking. But Friday is the day Noah longed for. "It's a challah day!"

Warm, lively pictures add to the book's charm.

As a bonus, a recipe for challah is included. But it's presented as though a 3-6 year old could actually read it and make challah with the help of a grown-up. Not so. The adult has to be the maker, the child

the helper.

In sum, a warm story consistent with a child's experience and expectations until the bonus.

**ALEF IS ONE** is based on the fact that each of the 22 letters of the Hebrew alphabet has a numerical value. From Alef, for both one and Aryeh (lion), to Taf, for 400 and Tuki (parrot), Katherine Kahn has created a humorously vivid cast of animal characters.

For each letter and number, English, Hebrew and transliteration are provided. A glossary at the back includes the Hebrew word for each number and the plural form of the nouns.

A word of caution, however. Because this book combines two distinct concepts — an alphabet book and a counting book — young children may find it confusing. Most children will eventually accept and incorporate both concepts, but it may be a slow process. Hence the wide age range for this book.

For this reason I recommend single-concept Hebrew alphabet books be used initially. Later you might add **ALEF IS ONE** to explore the duality of the Hebrew alphabet and to have fun counting the animals.

## The Sunday Club will expand fall programs

The Sunday Club, JCC's alternative social-recreational program for children, held its final session for the 1989-1990 season in April.

The group was established in January to best provide recreational activities to youngsters aged 6-13 with learning disabilities and mild adjustment problems.

However, all children are welcome, including those who have no particular learning or behaviour difficulty, but would prefer a more personalized, structured recreational experience than is usually available.

Sports activities, art and drama, organized by a highly experienced staff supervised by George Jamieson, M. Ed., were included in this year's activities.

Dr. Barry Schneider, the consulting psychologist, conducted concurrent optional parent group sessions on topics such as family-school relations and behaviour management at home.

Videos of the group's activities were shown to both parents and children at the April 1 wrap-up session.


Almost all the parents indicated an interest in the groups being operated on a regular, year-round basis.

In order to facilitate access to this type of programming, the JCC has applied to the Village Endowment Fund of Ottawa-Carleton for a grant to help

defray the cost of next year's program. Drs. Jamieson and Schneider are already actively planning next year's groups, which will feature an expanded sports program, as well as drama activities designed to incorporate friendship-making skills.

Descriptive brochures and application forms will be available shortly. Information about the Sunday Club is available from Greg Richards, JCC Phys Ed director at 232-7306.

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## Desert a 'richland' rather than a 'wasteland,' BGU prof. says

Professor Amos Richmond delivered a clear message to the Canadian community during his cross country tour in early April.

"Ben-Gurion University researchers and scientists are demonstrating that the desert is a 'richland' rather than a wasteland," he said.

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Richmond is the founder and director of Ben-Gurion University's Blaustein Institute for Desert Research located at the University's Sede Boker campus 50 km south of Beersheva.

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Professor Amos Richmond, far right, with Charles Dalfen and Susannah Dalfen, chairman, Ottawa Chapter, Canadian Associates of Ben-Gurion University.

State of Israel. Simultaneously the breakthrough in desert research can be translated into practice in other arid regions of the world.

Professor Richmond met with individuals and groups in Hamilton, Toronto and

Ottawa. He was the guest of Morris Lax in Hamilton, the Toronto Associates headed by Dr. Walter Unger, and the Ottawa Chapter under the chairmanship of Susannah Dalfen.

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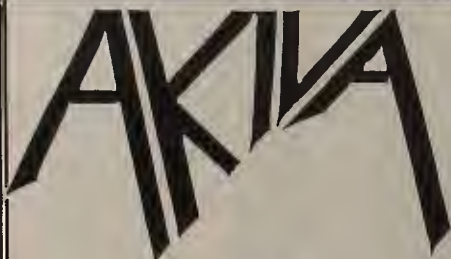
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## Sammy Davis Jr. committed to his Jewishness

By Tom Tugend  
LOS ANGELES, (JTA) — Sammy Davis Jr., who died recently in Los Angeles at the age of 64, had his first contact with Jews during his boyhood in New York, when he fell in love with the Yiddish theatre of the 1930s.

"They didn't bother me down there," the legendary black entertainer remembered later. "Although I couldn't understand a word, I would just laugh and cry along with the rest of the audience."

He returned more seriously to Judaism in the late 1950s, when he studied with Rabbi Max Nussbaum at Temple Israel of Hollywood, and then underwent a conversion ceremony in Las Vegas.

It was no snap decision. As he explained in an interview 20 years later, after much reading and soul-searching following an auto crash that cost him an eye, "I concluded that Judaism was essential to my survival."

In Jewish literature, he said, "I found strength and dignity. I wanted to know how a people could survive for so many years, being constantly persecuted. I wanted to know what gave them that inner strength, and when I found out, I found peace in it."

The conversion of the short, one-eyed black entertainer led to a string of jokes and anecdotes, which redoubled when Davis married the Swedish film beauty May Britt.

Rabbi William Kramer, who officiated at the ceremony at Davis' home, has retained a photo of the wedding party, which included Frank Sinatra and Peter Lawford.

### Czech exhibit opens at museum in Israel

JERUSALEM (JTA) — The long-heralded exhibition of Jewish cultural and religious treasures from Czechoslovakia opened at the Israel Museum in May and will continue until August.

It is a direct consequence of the November 1989 bloodless revolution that ended 40 years of Communist rule in Prague and led to the re-establishment of full diplomatic relations with Israel.

"For many years, we tried to bring an exhibition to Israel, but our government always stopped us," Dr. Vladimir Sadek, head of the Czech State Jewish Museum of Prague, said.

He said he hoped for closer co-operation between his 40-member staff and the Israel Museum, "especially now, when Stalinism is gone from Czechoslovakia and the authorities are interested in showing the richness of the Jewish culture to the West."

The Judaica and everyday items on display express the richness of Jewish life in the three regions of Czechoslovakia: Bohemia, Moravia and Slovakia.

Although most of the artifacts were included in the Precious Legacy exhibition prepared by the Smithsonian Foundation in 1983, which toured the United States, some of the items now on display in Jerusalem have never been seen before in the West.

There were some cruel remarks about the Jewish "nigger," but most of the jokes were more affectionate, such as the one attributed to Britt. When it became public that she would marry the entertainer, she was asked if her parents back home had expressed any objection to the match.

"Why should they?" she supposedly responded. "There is no anti-Semitism in Sweden."

Britt was converted at Temple Israel and, if anything, took her new faith even more seriously than did her husband.

#### Full-fledged seder

Ruth Nussbaum, widow of Rabbi Nussbaum, remembers going shopping with Britt to prepare for a full-fledged seder at the Davis home. Even after her divorce from Davis, Britt used to drive 80 miles three times a week to Temple Israel to make sure the couple's adopted son, Mark, received his Bar Mitzvah lessons, Mrs. Nussbaum said.

In later years, Davis visited Dachau and admitted that he

became as prejudiced against Germans as some whites are against blacks. In a visit to Israel, he expressed his delight at encountering so many dark-skinned Jews.

When "Fiddler on the Roof" became a musical hit, there was talk of mounting an all-black version and Davis was asked whether he would accept the role of Tevye. He declined, say-

ing, "There has to be respect for certain things, and a black Tevye would be stretching it too far."

After a while, the jokes about Davis' Jewishness stopped as his friends realized how committed the entertainer was to his faith.

An example is seen in Davis' face-off with the imperious movie mogul Samuel Goldwyn.

When Goldwyn insisted on filming through the High Holy Days, Davis asked for 24 hours off. Goldwyn scoffed at the request but relented when Davis assured him that he would spend the entire time in a synagogue.

"All right," Goldwyn finally agreed. "But I'll check up on you. I hope I'll be able to recognize you in shul."

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## Re-examine effectiveness of Shabbat eve programs

# Conservative rabbis recommend sunset service

KIAMESHA LAKE, N.Y. (JTA) — After four decades of conducting mid-evening Kabbalat Shabbat services, Conservative rabbis have recommended a return to the traditional sunset service preceding Shabbat dinner.

Over 600 rabbis meeting at the Concord Hotel here recently voted in favor of a resolution to "re-examine the effectiveness of their Sabbath eve programs with the possible goal of evolving worship services closer to the traditional time of sunset."

The vote took place during the largest gathering ever of the Rabbinical Assembly, Conservative Judaism's 1,300-member central body of rabbis.

The change in the time of Friday evening services is intended to shift the observance of the Sabbath from the synagogue to the home.

"The late Friday service is clearly dying," said Rabbi Neil Gilman, associate professor of Jewish philosophy at the Jewish Theological Seminary.

### A revitalized Sabbath

"Younger families are interested in a revitalized Sabbath participation with parents, children, grandparents and friends, especially in the home."

With services in the past occurring between 8 and 9 p.m., families would have to break away from their Shabbat dinner early to get to shul in time.

"We haven't had late Friday night services for years," said Rabbi David Nelson of Beth Shalom synagogue in Oak Park, Mich. "People just didn't show up."

Conservative rabbis have actually found that when they cancelled the late Friday service, attendance at Saturday morning services improved.

The late evening service began in the years prior to World War II as an attempt to accommodate those Jews who had to work late on Friday or all day on Saturday.

## German rabbi will speak here Thurs., June 21

The past year has seen many astounding changes in Eastern Europe. How have these changes affected the Jews of Europe?

To answer this question, the Men's Club of Congregation Beth Shalom West has invited Rabbi Henry Brandt of Hannover West Germany to be the guest speaker at a meeting on Thursday, June 21 at 8 p.m., 15 Chartwell Ave.

Rabbi Brandt's congregation consists of approximately 300 people. He is also the Landesrabbiner or head Rabbi to Lower Saxony. In this capacity he serves as spiritual leader to the Jews in the small villages around the city of Hannover.

Rabbi Brandt's discussion will centre on The Life of German Jewry Today, 50 Years After the Shoah; facing German reunification and the astounding developments in Eastern Europe.

The community is invited to attend.

But now that socioeconomic circumstances have changed in recent decades, with fewer Jews compelled to work on the Sabbath, there is less of a need for the late service.

The recommendation on the timing of Friday services was one of approximately 20 resolutions debated at the 90th convention of the Rabbinical Assembly.

Other noteworthy resolutions expressed support for donation of human organs and tissues after death, a woman's right to abortion, the religious activities of the Women of the Wall prayer group in Jerusalem, and the inclusion of Jewish lesbians and gay men in synagogues.

A surprise resolution that sharply criticized the leasing of a Greek Orthodox Church building in the Christian Quarter of Jerusalem by a group of Orthodox Jews was introduced by approximately 70 rabbis

during the convention proceedings, and was adopted.

While supporting "the right of every Israeli citizen to live in any part of Jerusalem," the resolution condemned the clandestine method used in obtaining and funding the building, as well as the insensitivity of its timing, falling as it did during the Christian Holy Week preceding Easter.

The resolution supported the position of Jerusalem Mayor Teddy Kollek, who called both the acquisition of the building and the Israeli government's contribution of \$1.8 million to help finance the project "a great stupidity."

Two other resolutions called for continued support for the Conservative Masorti movement in Israel and the right of the Rabbinical Assembly of Israel to perform conversions by means of the establishment of an institute for conversions

there.

The Israeli population on the whole is not religious and not aware of its religious needs, said Rabbi Reuven Hammer at a plenary session on the Conservative movement and the State of Israel.

"And who can blame it? Superstition, fanaticism, medievalism, anti-democracy, obscurantism, rebbes, babas, curses — this is what one associates with religion, to say

nothing of draft-dodging and robbery of the public treasury," Hammer contended.

"We stand for moderation rather than fanaticism, for rationality rather than superstition, for pluralism, not monopoly, for a religious interpretation of Judaism which incorporates science and modernism," he said. "We stand for a Judaism worthy of the modern world and the modern Jew."

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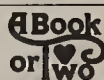
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## Tamir Chai Tea and Art Showcase great success

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Testimony to this was evident on Sunday, March 25th at the home of the Ambassador of Israel to Canada, His Excellency, Israel Gur-Arieh and Shulamit Gur-Arieh.

The Tamir Foundation, under the patronage of Shulamit Gur-Arieh, held its first Chai Tea and Art Showcase to support the group home for Jewish developmentally handicapped young adults.

Sunday, March 25th was a beautiful spring day. That day, between 250 and 300 men and women were privy to view the artistic talents of local Jewish artists Janet Agulnik, Caroline Baylin, Bryna Cohen, Debbie Mirsky-Cosman and Robert Stein while enjoying tea, coffee and goodies. On view as well were original water colour paintings by the late Dr. Imre I. Rosenberg. Dr. Truda Rosenberg has graciously donated a portfolio of Dr. Rosenberg's prints to the Tamir Foundation for distribution.

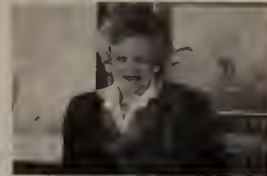
During the course of the afternoon names were drawn, to the pleasure and delight of Shirley Berman, Mina Dover-Cohen, Sharon Finn, Bernice Kerzner, Diane Parkin and Lily Penso, winners of the door prizes generously donated by Dahan Optical Ltd., Howard Manufacturing Jewellers Ltd., Minto Place Suite Hotel, Next to Nothing, Sam the Record Man and His Excellency, Israel Gur-Arieh. Rose Taylor and Libby Steinberg, co-chairman of the Chai Tea wish to publicly express their appreciation and thanks to the artists, the generous firms that donated the door prizes, Commercial Printers for their assistance, the multitude of callers and bakers who so generously and willingly gave of their time and expertise, to their Committee members, Ruth Aaron, Bryna Cohen, Roz Kanigsberg, Wendy Kramer, Joe Loomer, Laura Greenberg, Lily Penso and Judy Lief, and last but not least, to all the donors who enabled them to achieve the outstanding success the Chai Tea generated. The Tamir Foundation will use the funds to operate and support the Group Home for Developmentally Handicapped Jewish young adults in a Jewish Home Setting.



Rose Taylor and Shulamit Gur-Arieh.



Artist Caroline Baylin and Mrs. Gur-Arieh with work painted by Mrs. Baylin.



Truda Rosenberg in front of her late husband's paintings.



Artist Bryna Cohen and her sister Carol Froimovitch.



Artist Janet Agulnik.





## State of Israel Bonds Cocktail Reception in honour of Harry Leikin

The Ambassador's Ball kick-off was hosted by Norman and Carole Zagerman on Tuesday, May 1. Their good friend, International Chairman of State of Israel Bonds David Hermelin, addressed the guests on Israel's urgent need of funds to resettle Soviet and South American immigrants.

"The fear of persecution grows greater and greater in the Soviet Republics and it is our duty to assist our brethren by resettling them in Israel," Hermelin said. In response to his eloquent request on behalf of Israel, the guests set a record sales figure that evening.



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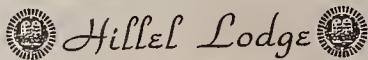


Guests gather to listen to the guest speaker.



David Hermelin (far right) addresses the gathering.





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## Nix religious readings in Lanark schools

The Lanark County Board of Education has overwhelmingly voted to accept the Ministry of Education's recommendation to suspend religious readings during opening exercises at Lanark County public schools.

#### Result of complaints

The decision came about as a result of complaints raised by the Lanark County Parents for Religious Freedom and the Canadian Jewish Congress, Ontario Region.

It was their contention that religious readings in Lanark County schools were almost entirely of one predominant faith (Christianity) which was contrary to the Education Act and the recent Ontario Court of Appeal decision requiring that opening exercises in public schools not give primacy to any one religion.

#### Decision welcome

David Satok, chairman of Congress' Joint Community Relations Committee, Ontario Region, said in a statement, "The decision by the Lanark County Board of Education is welcome. However, one would have hoped that given the obvious and flagrant violations that were occurring, the Board could have reached this decision more quickly and with greater sensitivity to the parents in their community."

Mr. Satok further noted, "Canadian Jewish Congress still has deep concerns that there is a lack of any proper monitoring process within the Ministry of Education to ensure that such violations are not occurring elsewhere. Until this is rectified, the potential for abuse remains high."

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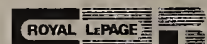
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## Addressing every piece of anxiety

# North American olim helping Soviets settle

By Richard Rubin

NEW YORK (JTA) — It takes one to know one, they say, so it makes sense for former olim to use their past experiences to help recently arrived Soviet Jews adjust to their new surroundings.

"We're trying to address every piece of anxiety they encounter," said Yoav Peck, executive director of the Association of Americans and Canadians in Israel.

65,000 North Americans

Formed in 1951, AACI has 19,000 adult members, plus another 20,000 family members. There are 65,000 North Americans in Israel.

While AACI members are offering to share their own experiences and knowledge, they are cautious not to dominate the settlement of the new arrivals, said Peck, who is also chairman of the steering committee of the Council of Olim Organizations in Israel.

"We know there are aspects of Russian culture we know nothing about," said Peck, who was here recently to gather support for the organization's efforts. "We only want to offer our experience and expertise."

With most Soviet arrivals not ideologically motivated to come to Israel, Peck warns against not effectively absorbing them into the country.

"They'll go somewhere else," Peck said, adding it is too early to tell whether the absorption has so far been successful.

"I hope what we'll have is thousands and thousands of satisfied new Israelis," he said.

Most North American aliyah took place in the euphoria immediately following Israel's 1967 victory in the Six-Day War. The current Soviet aliyah should be seen as an example by Jews still in the United States and Canada, said Peck, a native New Yorker who immigrated to Israel in 1973.

"You make history"

"It's a graphic demonstration of what we've been saying to our fellow North American Jews. In Israel you don't read about history, you make history."

AACI is working with former Prisoner of Zion Nathan Sharansky in helping to coordinate the dozen or so Soviet Jewish organizations in Israel and to cultivate better understanding between the new arrivals and resident, mostly Sephardic, Israelis.

Peck said he understands the resentment felt by many Sephardic Jews in Israel over the housing, economic and social benefits being extended to recent Soviet arrivals. But the resentment is misdirected, Peck said.

"Many of them were humiliated by Ashkenazi Jews when they came here in the 1950s and 1960s. Now, 30 years later, they see a new wave of Ashkenazim coming in and the entire country is going wild for them."

"It's salt in their wounds, but the wounds were not created by the Russians," he said.

Both native Israelis and Soviet immigrants can learn from the North American Jewish organization's use of

volunteers, Peck said.

"If Israel is going to face the crunch of shrinking resources effectively, we're going to have to muster thousands and thousands of volunteers," he said.

With the arrival of thousands of Soviet immigrants, Peck said, there has never been a

greater potential for unleashing volunteer resources.

"Every morning there's a new phenomenon," Peck said, citing the pre-Passover telethon in which 17,000 Soviet olim were invited in 12 hours to sedarim by Israeli families.

Israelis from North America are also taking an active role in

the grassroots effort to enact election reform in the country.

AACI recently delivered 40,000 letters from North Americans to the Knesset demanding election reform in

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"There's no such thing as accountability in the Israeli electoral system," Peck said. "There's not even a Hebrew word for it."

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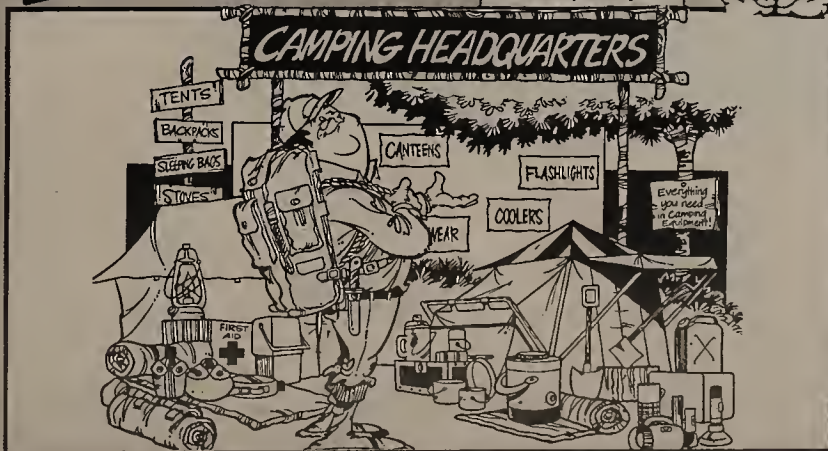
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## Stimulating evening enjoyed by YLD group

Young Jewish men and women working together to ensure a strong, vibrant and motivated Jewish community was the theme for the opening event of the Young Leadership Development Division of the Ottawa Jewish Community Council, Vaad Ha'Ir.

The evening program, which featured the Honourable Minister of Health of Ontario, Elinor Caplan, took place on Wednesday, May 9, at the Minto Place Suite Hotel.

Over 100 participants enjoyed a cocktail reception where they mingled and exchanged interesting ideas with the Minister prior to her address.

Robert Greenberg, chairman of the newly formed Young Leadership Development Group, introduced the members of the YLD committee and detailed the group's mandate, hopes and desires over the next 18 months.

In her speech the honourable minister shared details of her background with the audience, including her involvement in the Jewish community, her participation in municipal politics and her present role as the first female provincial Minister of Health in Canada.

She went on to stress the importance of young Jewish people assuming active roles in shaping the future of their



The Hon. Elinor Caplan and YLD Chairman Robert Greenberg.

Jewish communities.

A question and answer period provoked a stimulating discussion of topics such as anti-Semitism, Jewish values, and political responsibilities.

The speaker was introduced by Leslie Greenberg and thanked by Cheryl Bechuk.

The Young Leadership Group is enthusiastic about its next program: a visit to the National Museum of Civilization and guided tour of "A Coat of Many Colours" with Guest Curator Sandra Morton-Weizman. The meeting is scheduled for June 14, at 6:30 p.m.

Anyone interested in attending or requiring further information, should call Kayla at 232-7306.



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**Time:** 6:00 p.m.

**Where:** Meet in lobby by information desk

**Cost:** No cover charge

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## Adath Shalom Shabbaton workshop will focus on Abraham Heschel

Adath Shalom Congregation is sponsoring a weekend Shabbaton workshop with Professor Sol Tanenzapf, June 15-16 at the Jewish Community Campus, 881 Broadview.

The theme of the weekend will be "Abraham Heschel: A Jewish Thinker Confronts Modernity."

Rabbi Tanenzapf is currently associate professor of Religious Studies at York University, where he teaches the modern Jewish philosophers.

He has a Ph.D. in philosophy from Yale University and received his ordination from the Jewish Theological Seminary of New York. He served as rabbi of Congregation Shaareh Haim of Richmond Hill for ten years.

On Friday evening following a get-acquainted (Kosher) dinner, Professor Tanenzapf will lead a discussion on the Meaning of Torah.

Shabbat morning services will feature a sermon by Professor Tanenzapf.



Rabbi Sol Tanenzapf

The Saturday evening program will include Mincha, Maarev and Havdalah services and a light (Kosher) meal, followed by a discussion of the Meaning of the Mitzvot. The discussions will be based on Abraham Heschel's "God in Search of Man."

The Shabbaton follows closely on the heels of Adath Shalom's very successful May Shabbaton with Rabbi Daniel Siegal at which Adath Shalom

members and guests were treated to a rare combination of spirituality, scholarship, and singing.

Throughout the weekend Rabbi Siegal combined stories, music, and textual references from Torah, Talmud, and Hasidic sources to illustrate such topics as the contribution of music to prayer and the role of women in the Torah.

Congregation Adath Shalom is a Conservative Congregation with equal participation by women and men in prayer and study.

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The Friday evening program will begin at 7:00 p.m. The Shabbat morning service will begin at 9:45 a.m., followed by Kiddush.

A special program is being provided for any children in attendance.

Saturday evening services will begin at 7:00 p.m. followed by a discussion at 8:30.

All services will take place in the Chapel at 881 Broadview.

For full program details, meal costs and reservations, or further information about Congregation Adath Shalom call Leah Schnitzer (729-7410) or the Adath Shalom answering machine (228-0570).



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The play scheduled to be performed in East Berlin, "Else," has been written by the Israeli author Moti Lerner. It is based on the biography of Else Lasker-Schuler, a Jewish writer

who was born in Wuppertal in 1869 and later moved to Berlin.

She was famous in Germany for her lyric poetry and fantastic stories, incorporating Jewish tradition, Arabian night tales and modern fantasy. In 1933, Else fled to Switzerland, but still encountered problems because of her Jewish origins.



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1. Business of 1989 — 1990 Board will be completed
  - Adoption of previous minutes
  - Business arising from previous minutes
  - Amendments and changes to existing Constitution
  - Treasurer's Report:
    - Appointment of Auditors for 1990/91
- Thank you to outgoing Board by Lillian Kimmel
2. Annual Meeting:
  - Report of the Nominating Committee by Dennis Newton (Chairman)
  - Election of incoming Board 1990/91
  - Report of Medical Director
  - Report of Executive Director
  - Report of President
3. Refreshments

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# Israelis greet immigrants with both joy, fear

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assure him a good job in Israel, he probably would have stayed in the United States instead of returning to Israel last winter. "This government doesn't seem to care when a half a million people leave the country to go to America to find work there," he complains. "But when a million Soviets come here, they make such a fuss."

Noa speaks disparagingly of the pledges by Israeli leaders that the new immigrants will be housed and employed.

"We paid our dues to this country," she says. "We served two and three years in the army. The government didn't give me money to get an apartment. They didn't promise us a job."

Veteran immigrants to Israel dismiss such complaints, saying that they sound awfully familiar.

The gripes "are not so much against Russian olim as against the rights that olim have in general," says Judy Ben-Ami, who came to Israel from Seattle seven years ago.

"I heard similar complaints when I was a university student," says Marcello Landmann, who immigrated from Spain. "Israelis would ask why I, as a new immigrant, could study for free, when they had served in the army and had to pay their own way. They have to understand that this is the way the country is."

The fear that the Soviets will further crowd the job market is the strongest of the worries. A recent Jewish Agency poll shows that only 16 per cent of Israelis believe that Soviet aliyah will not impact negatively on unemployment.

The Hebrew press had picked up on some of the grumbling and often portrays the new immigrant as demanding and selfish.

A recent newspaper article, dripping with sarcasm, described the attitude of a Romanian immigrant who came to Israel for economic reasons. The immigrant was complaining because she had been led to believe that every new immigrant to Israel gets an apartment as a present, and now she feels cheated.

"Never mind that in Romania, they barely had anything to eat," the article said. "That was the reason they decided to come to Israel."

In the article, the woman demands her promised apartment — "not a villa, mind you, but just a nice five-room flat." She goes on to complain that her absorption centre "is more Communist than Romania."

There are, of course, two areas in Israel where the Soviet newcomers are not only welcomed, but desperately wanted — among the West Bank settlers and in the development towns in the Negev and Galilee.

Etta Bick lives in the West Bank settlement of Alon Shvut, made up of 250 families.

Communities like Alon Shvut feel "a terrible frustration" that they are not getting Soviet immigrants, Bick says sadly. "Our communities are cohesive, well-organized and ready to give."

That Jewish Agency funds cannot be used to settle Soviets in their community feels like "a

slap in the face" from the Israeli government and American Jewry, Bick says.

The development towns in the Negev and Galilee are not receiving Soviet Jews for less political reasons. Employment opportunities are limited there. Because of this, thousands of Israelis from previous waves of immigration have left the region for this centre of the country.

In a desire to show early success at absorbing the current wave of Soviet Jews, the government and Jewish Agency have been much more reluctant to send them to the development towns than they were previous immigrant groups. As a result, the olim have been steered to more populous areas around Tel Aviv and Jerusalem.

This decision has bred resentment. In the northern development town of Ma'alot, tempers flared in January when the Jewish Agency sent only Ethiopian Jews to the town's absorption centre, after promising the town's leadership that both Ethiopian and Soviet Jews would be sent.

Uri Gordon, chairman of the Jewish Agency's Immigration and Absorption Department, said at the time that they could not send Soviets there, "because of the employment situation," which angered Ma'alot residents.

Ma'alot Mayor Shlomo Bubbut contended at the time that there were jobs for skilled workers like the Soviet immigrants in his region. He said more Soviets should be sent to the development towns, and more Ethiopians to the centre of the country, instead of the reverse.

A Ma'alot resident, Elaine Levitt, wrote in the Jerusalem Post that Gordon's statement was especially disturbing, "because it implies that employment is not an important factor in the absorption of Ethiopian Jews, and because it is not precise. The fact is that a number of newcomers have already found jobs."

The controversy focused attention on the touchy issue of whether the Soviets were being treated as more desirable than other immigrant groups because they are of European origin.

When asked directly if racism has to do with the excitement over the coming Soviet aliyah — if the words "talented," "educated" and a "good aliyah" are code words for the fact that they are of European origin — most Israelis, including Sephardim, will deny it.

But the issue surfaces in Israeli humor.

One joke going around asks, "Why is the Soviet aliyah like turpentine?" The answer: "Because it will thin out the color of the country."

Undeniably, some bitterness lingers in the Moroccan and Yemenite communities as they compare the corrugated metal shacks, or ma'abarot, where they lived when they came to Israel to the subsidized apartments where the Soviets are now living. The feeling remains, though logically they understand that Israel was a poor, less industrialized country at that time.

Natan Sharansky, the former Soviet prisoner of Zion, has

recently harnessed his savvy political skills to defuse ethnic tension. He has participated in demonstrations for Yemenite Jewry, held dialogues with Sephardim, and in general tried to project his concern for all Israelis, not just Soviet immigrants.

Sharansky "has eaten a lot of couscous lately," one Israeli observer quipped.


Cynical talk notwithstanding, most Israelis seem prepared to assist the new immigrants.

Many have stepped forward to act as "adopted families," helping those in direct absorption cope with the mysteries of the Israeli banking system and the job market.

A trim, athletic-looking Israeli woman named Ilana Babayut strolls into the home of a Soviet immigrant family in the Mevasseret Zion absorption centre. An elderly woman living there gazes at her, smiles a mouthful of gold teeth and proclaims her a "miracle."

Babayut is a teacher who lives with her attorney husband in a villa near the absorption centre in Mevasseret. When asked how she met the family, Babayut replies, "Why, I just knocked on their door."

Before the recent wave of Soviets came, Babayut pitched in to help Ethiopian Jewish immigrants. "Many of them had never seen a gas stove or a refrigerator before. I let them follow me around and imitate my household chores," she says.



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Heat oil. Add onion and cook till tender. Stir in garlic, carrot, celery and mushrooms. Cook for 5 minutes, stirring often. Add tomatoes. Stir in tomato sauce, and seasonings. Simmer uncovered 10 minutes till slightly thick. Let cool. Add broccoli.

Cook noodles till tender. Rinse in cold water and drain.

In 9 x 13 greased pan arrange 3 noodles on bottom. Spread with half vegetable mixture, then half cottage cheese. Sprinkle with 1/3 mozzarella. Repeat noodle, vegetable mixture, cottage and mozzarella cheese layers once. Arrange remaining noodles over top. Sprinkle with remaining mozzarella and parmesan. Bake in 350°F oven for 35 to 45 minutes. Serves 8.

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The fund will be open-ended and family and friends may add to it at any time. Because of Maurice Brovender's intense concern for Jewish education throughout his lifetime, the income earned will be designated to Hillel Academy in perpetuity.

## Leslie and Cornelia Engel Fund created to mark 80th birthday

The officers and directors of the Ottawa Jewish Community Foundation are pleased to announce the establishment of the Leslie and Cornelia Engel Fund by their children, Dr. André and Shelley in honor of Leslie Engel's 80th birthday, May 11, 1990.

Leslie and Cornelia ("Nelly") came from Vámosperes, a small town in Hungary where they lived at opposite ends of the same street.

Leslie fell in love with Nelly when she was only 14 years old. Their budding romance was mildly interrupted by the outbreak of World War Two.

Nelly was deported to Auschwitz where many members of her family perished.

Leslie landed in a Soviet labor camp where disease and starvation were his daily companions.

Miraculously both survived the war and were reunited and married. After the birth of their first and only child, André, they fled Hungary. In 1951 they arrived in Canada to start anew.

The Engels settled in Montreal where, initially, they struggled to make a living. Within a few years they each established their own business: Leslie, a watch importing company and Nelly, a



Cornelia and Leslie Engel

ladies fashion store.

In 1977 the Engels developed a very strong Ottawa connection when their only son André and daughter-in-law Shelley (nee Filler) moved to Alta Vista. André presently runs a busy pediatric practice in centretown while Shelley raises their three daughters, Saritte, Tehillah and Marriah, between performances of the Israella Singers.

Local people who have met Leslie and Nelly Engel have difficulty believing that they are Holocaust survivors, despite the tragedies they experienced, for they have not

abandoned their faith in humanity or their adherence to Judaism.

"Who is the wealthy person? The one who is satisfied with his share". (Talmud) Leslie and Nelly are truly a wealthy couple. They are grateful for what they have and appreciate each day as a gift from above.

The Leslie and Cornelia Engel Endowment Fund will be open-ended and family and friends may add to it at any time. The capital will be invested in perpetuity and only the income distributed annually to local charities.



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by Eva and Israel Kardish; and by Margo and David Kardish. In memory of Muriel Levine by Eva and Israel Kardish. In memory of Hyman Litnick by Eva and Israel Kardish.

**SAMUEL AND TILLIE KARDISH FUND**

In memory of Elliott Levitan by Rhoda and George Caplan.

**BENJAMIN AND LILLIAN KATZ MEMORIAL FUND**

In memory of Muriel Levine by Carolyn and Sid Katz. In memory of Harry Hecht by Carolyn and Sid Katz.

**CLAIRE AND ABE KEVANSTEIN FUND**

Mazal Tov to Dr. and Mrs. I. Victor Steinberg on the occasion of their daughter Naomi obtaining her Ph.D. in Psychology from Penn State University, Pennsylvania and Shira obtaining her M.A. degree in Architecture from M.I.T., Cambridge, Mass. along with a Travel Scholarship by Claire Kevanstein.

**ARTHUR AND SARAH KIMMEL MEMORIAL FUND**

Wishing continued good health to Dan Kimmel by Yvonne and Harvey Litwick and family.

Best wishes to Dan Kimmel on his special birthday by Wendy, Mike, Danny and Robyn Green, Mtl.

In memory of Charles Hayward, father of Elaine Rabin by Isabel and Norman Lesh.

With much appreciation to Dr. Stanley Labow by Isabel and Norman Lesh.

**PHILLIP AND ETTIE KIMMEL MEMORIAL FUND**

In memory of Harry Hecht by Joyce and Milton Kimmel; and by Marion and Al Shapiro.

**KOFFMAN FAMILY ENDOWMENT FUND**

In memory of Anne Gencber-Rudd by Margaret and Joe Koffman; and by Beck Koffman.

Wishing a r'fuah sh'lemah to Blanche Osterer by Bea and Milton Koffman.

**DR. JOSEPH AND GRACE KOREAN FUND**

Mazal Tov to Riva Freedman on the birth of her grandson Joshua by Jen and Is Shinder. In memory of Arnold Slover by Carol and Lorry Greenberg.

In memory of Anne Rudd by Carol and Lorry Greenberg.

In memory of Dr. Morley Kert, L.A. by Carol and Lorry Greenberg.

**KRANTZBERG KRANE FAMILY FOUNDATION**

Mazal Tov to Ann and Art Lazear on the birth of their granddaughter by Evelyn Krane Berlin.

Mazal Tov to Mrs. Morris (Anna) Saslove on the birth of her great-granddaughter by Evelyn Krane Berlin.

Mazal Tov to Esther and Yale Greenberg on the birth of their first grandchild by Evelyn Krane Berlin.

Wishing a r'fuah sh'lemah to Doris Baylin by Evelyn Krane Berlin.

Mazal Tov to Ellen and Howie Osterer on the birth of their daughter Natalie by Leiba

and Robert Krantzberg.

**SAMUEL AND IRENE KRONICK FUND**

In memory of Dolly Blacher by Irene Kronick.

**FRANK AND SADIE LABOVITCH FUND**

In honour of cousin Bessie Frumkin, Vancouver, B.C. on her special birthday by Clara and Med Hassan.

**JACOB AND ROSE LANDAU MEMORIAL FUND**

In memory of grandfather of Zahava Tyburg, Toronto by Jerrold Landau.

**HARRY LEIKIN ENDOWMENT FUND**

Best wishes to Harry Leikin on his special birthday by Dorothy and Miles Wisenthal; by Israel and Jen Shinder; by Ethel Leikin Kesler; by Steven Leikin Kesler; by Ivan and Fran Kesler; by Rick and Lily Kesler; Zev and Maya; by Clare and Harry Freedman; by Claire and Jack Fogel; by Roslyn, Myles, Jodie and Julia Teller; by Bert Palmer; by Cila Farber; by Mrs. Harold Leikin; by Alyce and Allan Baker; by Helen and Joe Hochberg, Toronto; by Marilyn and William Newman; by Barbara and Syd Greenberg; by Laura and Gordon Spergel; by Sol and Zelaine Shinder; by Bess and Casey Swedlove; by Barbara and Louis Fine; and by Marcia Dworkin and family, Toronto.

**HUGO AND RUTH DAVIS LEVENDEL FUND**

In memory of Harry Hecht by Hugo Levendel.

**MURIEL LEVINE MEMORIAL FUND**

In memory of Muriel Levine by Gladys and John Greenberg; by Esther Cantor; by Ingrid and Gerry Levitz; by Koz and Stan Labow; by Shirley, Norman, Ian and Jeremy Levitz; by Joe, Debbie and Mark Breatress; by Ellen Litwick; by Charles Wiseman; by Finkelman and Agulnik and Company; by Geri, Sidney, Audrey and Michael Goldstein; by Frank H. Owen; by Mina Fyon-Owen; by John Harris, Toronto; by Edie and Erwin Koranyi; by Beverley and Abe Feinstein; by Sonia Kizell; by Murray, Jenny and Sarah Citron; by Rhoda and George Caplan; and by Carol and Lorry Greenberg.

**MARTIN K. AND ELIZABETH LEVINSON FUND**

Wishing a r'fuah sh'lemah to Joe Zelikovitz by Martin K. Levinson.

**JOSEPH AND EVELYN LIEFF FUND**

Wishing a r'fuah sh'lemah to Blanche Osterer by Evelyn and Joseph Lieff.

In honour of Peter Fine on his special birthday by Evelyn and Joseph Lieff.

Mazal Tov to Laya and Sol Shabinsky on the marriage of their son Ian to Melissa Spruston by Evelyn and Joseph Lieff.

Mazal Tov to Dena and Herb Gosewich on the marriage of their daughter Vicki to Jeff Weiss by Evelyn and Joseph Lieff.

**ETHYL AND MANNY LIGHTSTONE FUND**

Happy anniversary to Yaffa

Greenbaum and Jack Shinder by Ethyl and Manny Lightstone.

Mazal Tov to Irving and Evelyn Rivers on the birth of a granddaughter by Ethyl and Manny Lightstone.

Wishing a r'fuah sh'lemah to Irving Greenberg by Ethyl and Manny Lightstone.

Happy 25th wedding anniversary to Sol and Sylvia Kalman by Ethyl and Manny Lightstone.

**ABRAHAM AND DORA LITHWICK MEMORIAL FUND**

Wishing a r'fuah sh'lemah to Lenke Grossman by Sarah and Sid Green.

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**ABE AND BERTHA PALMER FAMILY ENDOWMENT FUND ESTABLISHED**

The officers and directors of the Ottawa Jewish Community Foundation acknowledge with thanks the establishment of the Abe and Bertha Palmer Family Endowment Fund.

The fund will be open-ended and family and friends may add to it at any time. The capital will be invested in perpetuity and only the income distributed each year to worthy causes in the Jewish Community.



**Zeev and Sara Vered Fund pays tribute to fortieth anniversary**

The Officers and Directors of the Ottawa Jewish Community Foundation are pleased to welcome the establishment of the Zeev and Sara Vered Endowment Fund on the occasion of their 40th wedding anniversary by their children Susan and Gillie, Elizabeth and Arnie and Ronnie and their grandchildren Ariel, Danya, Jordana and Alexandra.

Zeev and Sara are two very involved and committed people to the secular society and to all the many facets of the Jewish Community in Ottawa and in Israel. At the 1988 University of Ottawa Spring Convocation, when Zeev and Sara received the first Honorary Doctorate ever presented to a man and wife, Dr. Gilles Hurteau, dean of the Faculty of Health Science said: "This is a tribute to the way in which two remarkable people have successfully faced the challenges of life, and have returned more than full measure to the fabric of life and community well-being."

Both are from Israel: he by way of Germany; she, historically, via Russia. Both served during Israel's War of Independence and, upon their marriage, opted to apply their youthful enthusiasm and ideals to the educational opportunities extended to foreign students by McGill University. The imprint they have made shows in many ways.

Through Ron Engineering and Construction, Arnon Development Corporation and Gilad Properties Limited, they have added considerably and attractively to the skylines of Ottawa and other centres in Canada and the United States. Their three corporations are named for their three sons, Ron, Arnon and Gilad. These obviously proud parents are the president and vice-



Sara Vered

president, respectively, of each firm.

Zeev and Sara Vered have overseen the planning and development of projects into the hundreds of millions of dollars, many of them finer landmarks in Ottawa.

They have at the same time, quietly, contributed even more deeply to their community and country.

**Given of expertise**

Zeev Vered, active in the United Way of Ottawa-Carleton, has also been a local fundraising director for both his alma mater and for the United Jewish Appeal of Ottawa. He has given of his expertise as a voluntary construction consultant for Silver Springs Farm, residence of the Ottawa-Carleton Association for the Mentally Retarded, and has earned 10 local, national and international honours for his community accomplishments.

A governor of Carleton University, Zeev has served on the executives of more than a dozen benevolent and educational organizations.

Sara Vered is equally prominent: in projects of cultural exchange and fundraising for her native Israel; as a Docent and adviser to the President of the Friends of the National Gallery; as a member of the Board of the Royal Ontario



Zeev Vered

Museum and a number of its committees; and, since its inception, as a member of the Advisory Board of the University of Ottawa Heart Institute at Ottawa Civic Hospital.

Combined, the spirit of community involvement of the Vereds is obviously, most distinguished.

Intensely involved with the Heart Institute for personal reasons, Zeev served as co-chairman of its successful "Million Dollar" campaign a few years ago. In addition, he makes it his business to find time to be active in Jewish communal organizations such as United Jewish Appeal, Canadian Friends of Technion, B'nai Brith, Canadian Friends of Weizmann Institute, Canadian Friends of Tel Aviv University and the Jewish Community Council among others.

Sara Vered also finds time for numerous Jewish organizations. Recently she as a key organizer of the very successful opening of "A Coat of Many Colours" at the Museum of Civilization.

The Zeev and Sara Vered Endowment Fund will be open ended and family and friends may add to it at any time. The capital will be invested in perpetuity and only the income distributed to worthy causes in the community.



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In memory of Harry Hecht by Sarah and Sid Green.

In memory of Hyman Lithwick by Sarah and Sid Green.

In memory of Moe Shainbaum by Sarah and Sid Green.

**ARNOLD AND ROSE LITHWICK FAMILY FUND**

In memory of Hyman Lithwick by Harvey and Yvonne Lithwick and family.

**IRVING AND ELLEN LITHWICK FUND**

In memory of Dolly Blacher by Ellen Lithwick.

In memory of a dear cousin Hyman Lithwick by Ellen Lithwick.

Happy birthday to Nina Lithwick, Toronto by Ellen Lithwick.

**SAMUEL AND LEEMA MAGIDSON FUND**

Wishing Leema Magidson the very best on her birthday by Marilyn and Dan Kimmel and family.

**MORRIS MOLOT MEMORIAL FUND**

In memory of Elliott Levitan by Edith Sonken.

**JACK AND HONEY MONSON FUND**

In memory of Muriel Levine by Joy and David Kardish.

**JEAN AND MAX NAEMARK FUND**

Mazal Tov to Jean and Max Naemark on their 40th anniversary by Rita and Maurice Ryant.

Wishing a speedy recovery to Sally Torontow Rubin by Jean and Max Naemark.

**PINKAS AND YEHUDIT NEWMAN MEMORIAL FUND**

Wishing continued good health to Dan Kimmel by Marilyn and William Newman.

In memory of Hyman Lithwick by Marilyn and William Newman.

In honour of Harry Leikin on his special birthday by the Zaret family.

**OTTAWA MODERN JEWISH SCHOOL FUND**

Mazal Tov to Philip Corber on the occasion of his Bar Mitzvah by Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Cammy.

**ABE AND BERTHA PALMER FAMILY FUND**

Best wishes to John Tavel on his special birthday by Carol and Lorry Greenberg and family.

**PARLIAMENT LODGE B'NAI BRITH PAST PRESIDENTS' FUND**

In memory of Charles Hayward, father of Elaine Rabin by Parliament Lodge.

**HAROLD AND YETTA PEARL MEMORIAL FUND**

In memory of Rose Levitan by Carol Pearl and family.

In memory of Muriel Levine by Carol Pearl and family.

**NANCY AND LARRY PLEET FUND**

Wishing a r'fuah sh'lemah to Blanche Osterer by Felice and Jeff Pleet and family.

In memory of Dolly Blacher

by Nancy and Larry Pleet; and by Felice and Jeff Pleet.

In memory of Muriel Levine by Nancy and Larry Pleet; by Felice and Jeff Pleet.

**DAVE AND BETTY POLOWIN FUND**

Mazal Tov to Jean and Max Naemark on the birth of their grandson by Betty and Dave Polowin.

Mazal Tov to Judy and Oscar Silverman, Cheshire Court, Conn. on the birth of their new granddaughter by Betty and Dave Polowin.

In memory of Helena Zbar Powers by Betty and Dave Polowin.

In memory of Morley Bodnoff by Betty and Dave Polowin.

In memory of Muriel Levine by Betty and Dave Polowin.

In memory of Elliott Levitan by Betty and Dave Polowin.

In memory of Rose Levitan by Betty and Dave Polowin.

In memory of Hyman Lithwick by Betty and Dave Polowin.

In memory of Charles Hayward by Betty and Dave Polowin.

**NORMAN AND EVELYN POTECHIN FUND**

A hearty Mazal Tov to Harry Leikin on his 90th birthday by Evelyn and Norman Potechin.

Best wishes to Evelyn Krakauer, Congers, N.Y. for a speedy recovery by Evelyn and Norman Potechin.

**JOSEPH AND SONIA RABIN MEMORIAL FUND**

In memory of Charles Hayward, father of Elaine Rabin by Sonia Kizell.

**DAVID AND FREDA RADNOFF FUND**

Best wishes for a r'fuah sh'lemah to Freda Radnoff by Kenneth and Jeannette Radnoff.

**ETHEL RIVERS MEMORIAL FUND**

Mazal Tov to Irving and

Evelyn Rivers on the birth of their granddaughter by Chuck Rotenberg.

**JACOB AND LEAH RIVERS MEMORIAL FUND**

In honour of Morris Presser being the recipient of the Freiman Family Young Leadership Award by Ibolya, Howard, Shawn and Julia Goldberg.

**ISADORE AND ROSSIE ROSE FUND**

Wishing continued good health to Rossie Rose by Sol and Zelaine Shinder; and by Barbara Greenberg.

**HELENA AND MICHAEL ROSENBAUM SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

In memory of Maxine Robern by Diana and Alvin Malomet; by Philip Anisman, Toronto; and by Marla Blacher.

**SAMUEL AND RUTH ROTHMAN MEMORIAL FUND**

Mazal Tov to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jakobovits on the birth of their son by Sue, Steve, Bram, Drew and Joel Rothman.

Wishing a speedy recovery to Edith Sporn by Sue, Steve, Bram, Drew and Joel Rothman.

Happy birthday to my dear grandchildren Cindy and Mark Kardash by Bubby Frances Rothman.

Mazal Tov and best wishes to Rabbi and Mrs. Saul Aranov in their new home by Frances Rothman.

**RICKIE AND MARTIN SASLOVE FUND**

In honour of Syd Barron, Brockton, Mass. on his special birthday by Rickie and Marty Saslove.

Mazal Tov to Claire and Irving Bercovitch on the birth of

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## In Appreciation

Our sincere thanks to our many friends and relatives for their kind wishes and donations to charitable organizations in memory of our dear father, Ben. It was very much appreciated.

The Nadrich Family

## In Appreciation

Sincere thanks to my many friends and relatives for their good wishes, cards, gifts and donations to charitable organizations wishing me a speedy recovery during my recent illness. It is very much appreciated.

Blanche Osterer

## In Appreciation

Many thanks to all my friends for their good wishes, generous donations and help to my family during my recent illness.

Amnon Pasher

## In Appreciation

With great appreciation to all Maxine's friends and family who expressed their condolences, support and comfort at this time of need.

Tedah Rabah.

Haskell, Michael, David and Amy Robern

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their granddaughter Jessica Whitney Firestone by Rickie and Marty Saslove.

#### SAMUEL AND LILLIAN SASLOVE FUND

In memory of Harry Hecht by Lil Saslove.

Mazal Tov to Claire and Irving Bercovitch on the birth of their granddaughter Jessica Whitney by Lil Saslove.

Happy Mother's Day to Lil Saslove by her children Carol and Harvey Goodman and family.

#### HARRY AND FRANCES SAXE FUND

Congratulations and best wishes to Percy and Bilha Zeikow on their anniversary by Frances and Harry Saxe.

#### VERA AND SAM SCHWARTZ FUND

Wishing a speedy recovery to Lila Bookman by Vera and Sam Schwartz.

#### ABRAHAM AND MARY SHAFFER MEMORIAL FUND

Wishing a speedy recovery to Phil Sugarman by Sarah and Milton Shaffer.

Wishing a speedy recovery to Jack Handel by Sarah and Milton Shaffer.

Best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Green, Mtl. on their 51st wedding anniversary by Sarah and Milton Shaffer.

#### HAROLD SHAFFER MEMORIAL FUND

In memory of Arnold Slover by Frances Shaffer.

#### HARRY AND SYLVIA SHINDER MEMORIAL FUND

Mazal Tov to Ethel and David Malek on the engagement of their son Allan to Debbie Litwin by Dora and Sam Litwak; and by Bea and Murray Garceau.

Mazal Tov to Goldie and Emanuel Litwin on the engagement of their daughter Debbie to Allan Malek by Bea and Murray Garceau.

#### ISRAEL AND JEN SHINDER FUND

In memory of Arnold Slover by Jen and Is Shinder.

#### SOL AND ZELAINE SHINDER FUND

Mazal Tov to Yvonne and Yehuda Azuelos on the engagement of their daughter Valerie to Michale Toldano by Sol and Zelaïne Shinder.

Mazal Tov to Ellen and Howie Osterer on the birth of their daughter by Sol and Zelaïne Shinder.

Mazal Tov to Irving and Evelyn Rivers on the birth of a granddaughter by Sol and Zelaïne Shinder.

#### LOUIS SLACK MEMORIAL FUND

With sincere appreciation to Sunny Tavel by Myra Aronson.

Mazal Tov to Debi Bordelay Forge and Roger Finn on their forthcoming marriage by Myra and Lester Aronson and family.

#### MOE AND CHARLOTTE SLACK FUND

Best wishes to Karen Robbins and Michael Kanter, Toronto on the birth of their son by Marlene Levine.

Best wishes to Honey Monson on her special birthday by Marlene Levine.

#### JACK AND LINDA SMITH FUND

Mazal Tov to Susan and Sam Firestone on the birth of their daughter Jessica Whitney by Jack and Linda Smith.

Mazal Tov to Claire and Irving Bercovitch on the birth of their granddaughter Jessica Whitney Firestone by Jack and Linda Smith.

Mazal Tov to Ellen and Howie Osterer on the birth of a daughter by Jack and Linda Smith.

Mazal Tov to Irving and Evelyn Rivers on the birth of a granddaughter by Jack and Linda Smith.

#### GUSTAVE AND ESTHER SOLMAN FUND

In memory of Dolly Blacher by Irving J. Solman.

Best wishes to Julia Vann, Syracuse, N.Y. on her 90th birthday by Ruth and Nerman Polowin.

#### SOVIET JEWRY ENDOWMENT FUND

Best wishes to Ruth and Eric Poznansky, Mtl. on their 50th wedding anniversary by Brona and Carl Rosen.

#### NATHAN AND THELMA STEINMAN FUND

Mazal Tov to Thelma Steinman on being the recipient of the "Volunteer Service Award" presented by the Ontario Ministry of Citizenship and Culture by Elaine, Dan, Karen and Robbie Shapiro; by Adele, Brian, Shayna and Jessica; and by Gail, Stephen, Jodie and Andrea Victor.

Happy anniversary to Sylvia and Sol Kaiman by Thelma Steinman.

#### WILLIAM "BILL" STERNBERG MEMORIAL FUND

In observance of the Yartzheit of my mother Faigeh Sternberg by Ralph and Anne Sternberg.

#### FREDA AND PHIL SWEDKO MEMORIAL FUND

Best wishes to Tillie and Abe Levine on their 50th anniversary by Claire and Irving Bercovitch.

Mazal Tov to Bruce Bercovitch and Eileen Sculnick on their engagement by John and Sadie Craft.

#### JOSEPH AND IRENE SWEDLOVE FUND

In memory of Arnold Slover by Irene Swedlove.

#### RACHEL AND ZELIG SWEDLOVE MEMORIAL FUND

Best wishes to Stan Giube on his 80th birthday by Freda Lithwick.

In memory of Rose Levitan by Freda Lithwick.

In memory of Hyman Lithwick by Harvey Swedlove, Toronto; by Bert and Abe Klugsberg; by Bea and Ernest Rosengarten; and by Florence and Jay Kizell, Toronto.

In memory of Arnold Slover by Freda Lithwick.

#### ARCHIE AND LILLIAN TALLER FUND

Mazal Tov to Irving and Evelyn Rivers on the birth of their grandson by Lillian and Archie Taller.

Mazal Tov to Irving and Evelyn Rivers on the birth of their granddaughter by Lillian and Archie Taller.

Mazal Tov to Sonya Bodnoff on the birth of her grandson by Lillian and Archie Taller.

Best wishes for a r'fuah sh'lemah to Blanche Osterer by Lillian and Archie Taller.

In memory of Dolly Blacher by Lillian and Archie Taller.

In memory of Muriel Levine by Lillian and Archie Taller.

Thanks to Evelyn and Lou Eisenberg for their hospitality in Florida by Lillian and Archie Taller.

#### SAMUEL AND ANNE TALLER FUND

In memory of Muriel Levine by Anne and Sam Taller.

#### CHARLES AND RAE TAVEL MEMORIAL FUND

In memory of Muriel Levine by Sunny and John Tavel.

In memory of Charles Hayward, father of Elaine Rabin by Sunny and John Tavel.

#### MOSES, CHENYA AND HENRY TORONTOW MEMORIAL FUND

Best wishes to Elaine Torontow on her birthday by Jean and Max Naemark and family.

#### PEARL AND EDWARD TORONTOW FUND

Congratulations and best wishes to Mrs. Loia Harris, Fla. on her forthcoming marriage to Leonard Gould by Frances and Harry Saxe.

#### SARA AND ZEEV VERED FUND

Mazal Tov to Sara and Zeev Vered on their special anniversary by Edie and Erwin Koranyi; by Carol and Lorry Greenberg; by Abe and Bertha Palmer; and by Clair and Julius Krantzberg.

#### SONIA AND ARTHUR VINER FUND

Wishing Sonia and Arthur Viner improved health and happiness in their new home by Gladys and John Greenberg and family.

Welcome home from Israel to Pam, Oded and Ayala Ravek by Gladys, John and Melissa Greenberg.

Best wishes for a happy birthday to Karen Zunder by Gladys, John and Melissa Greenberg.

Mazal Tov to Melissa Greenberg on her graduation from Law School by Sarah and Arnie Swedler and family.

#### WASERMAN FAMILY MEMORIAL FUND

Happy 35th birthday to my son Richard by Nat Wasserman.

Happy special birthday to my son Steve by Nat Wasserman.

Happy 5th birthday to my granddaughter Eve by Nat Wasserman.

Happy 3rd birthday to my granddaughter Diana by Nat Wasserman.

Best wishes to Jack Lobel on his birthday by Sadie and Ernie Wasserman.

In memory of John Glover by Sadie and Ernie Wasserman.

#### HARRY AND RAE WEIDMAN MEMORIAL FUND

Happy Mother's Day to Anne Taller by Roslyn, Myles, Jodi and Julia Taller.

In memory of Harry Hecht by Anne Taller.

In memory of Arnold Swedler by Freda Lithwick.

Wishing continued good health to Doris Finn by Roslyn and Myles Taller.

#### MIRIAM AND LOUIS WEINER FUND

In honour of the birth of our granddaughter Laura Michelle by Miriam and Louis Weiner.

Mazal Tov to Miriam and Louis Weiner on the birth of their granddaughter Laura Michelle by Irene and Bob Stein.

In memory of Muriel Levine by Miriam and Louis Weiner.

In memory of Hyman Lithwick by Miriam and Louis Weiner.

Best wishes to Stan Glube on his 80th birthday by Miriam and Louis Weiner.

#### JOSEPH AND SONIA WEINSTEIN MEMORIAL FUND

Best wishes for a r'fuah

sh'lemah to Joe Zeilkovitz by Yetta and Larry Arron.

#### SANDRA AND SAM ZUNDER FUND

Wishing a r'fuah sh'lemah to Blanche Osterer by Sandra and Sam Zunder.

Best wishes to Harry Leikin on his special birthday by Sandra and Sam Zunder.

In memory of Arnold Slover by Sandra and Sam Zunder.

Contributions may be made by phoning Howard Goldberg at 232-7306, Monday to Friday 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Attractive cards are sent to convey the appropriate sentiments. All donations are acknowledged with an official receipt for income tax purposes. WE ACCEPT VISA.

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The Dedication of a plaque  
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at 11:00 a.m.

The Park, at Viewmount Drive and Coolspring Crescent, was dedicated in 1983, and in 1987 the Raoul Wallenberg Sculpture was unveiled.

Please join us to thank those participants who were responsible for the creation of the park in honor of this heroic man.

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Aug 21-Sep 30	\$1409	\$1499	\$1599
Oct 01-Oct 15	NOT AVAILABLE		
Oct 16-Oct 31	\$1435	\$1539	\$1675
Nov 01-Nov 15	\$1409	\$1499	\$1599
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*Awards presented at ceremony*

## Super volunteers recognized by province

Twelve members of the Ottawa Jewish community were among the 227 volunteers presented with Volunteer Service Awards from the Ministry of Citizenship and the Ministry of Culture and Communications recently.

The nominations were made by the Jewish Social Services Agency, the Jewish Community Centre, Tamir Foundation, and the Central Volunteer Bureau.

The Ottawa ceremony, held at the Skyline Hotel on May 7, was one of 20 such events held throughout Ontario to recognize the contribution of over 3,000 volunteers.

The awards acknowledge the countless hours of dedicated service thousands of volunteers give to enhance the quality of life in Ontario communities every day of the year.

Award winning volunteers receive trillium-shaped bronze, silver- and gold-tone lapel pins and personalized certificates which acknowledge respectively five, 10 and 15 or more years of service contributed to volunteer organizations.

Volunteer Service Awards recognize community service in areas related to citizenship, culture and communications.



Volunteer Service Award winners, back row, left to right: Peter Swedko (JCC), Margo Schwartz Eliany (JSSA), Sid Friedberg (JCC), Fanny Friedberg (JCC), Susan Kreisman (Tamir). Front row: Thelma Steinman (JSSA), Libby Steinberg (JSSA), Allan Ruckenstein (JCC), Jack Steinberg (JSSA). Not present at photo time: Donna Strauss (JCC), Howard Osterer (JCC), Ken Chernick (Central Volunteer Bureau).

### Shabbat Candlelighting

June 1 — 8:25 p.m.  
June 8 — 8:30 p.m.  
June 15 — 8:35 p.m.  
June 22 — 8:37 p.m.

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### Condolences

Condolences are extended to the families of:  
**Samuel Greenberg**  
**Mary Hyman**  
**Michael Kraschewski**, (husband of Louise Viner)  
**Fanny Lebofsky**, Mtl. (mother of Violet Segal)  
**Morris Rosenbloom**, Mtl. (father of Estelle Yaskin)  
**Harry Ruckenstein**, Mtl. (father of Allan)  
**Dr. Pearl Weinberger**  
May their memories be a blessing.

## Community Calendar

The following information is taken from the community calendar maintained by the Women's Federation of the Jewish Community Council. Organizations who would like their events to be listed, no matter where they are to be held, should make sure they are recorded by calling 232-7306 between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. Provide accurate details.

#### Friday, June 8

Jewish Historical Society Shenkman Exhibition, Adult Lounge JCC, 151 Chapel St., continues through to June 17.

#### Sunday, June 10

Beth Shalom Sisterhood Art Show, Social and Assembly Halls JCC, 151 Chapel St., 6:00 p.m.  
ORT Eretz Chapter Annual Spring Tea, at the home of Moe and Rose Litwack, 1593 Featherston Dr., 2:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.  
Ladies Reception Committee Welcome Tea for Newcomers, home of Miriam Levitin, 755 Courtenay Ave., 2:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m.  
Jewish Community Centre Breakfast Club, 881 Broadview Ave., 9:15 a.m.

#### Monday, June 11

Golden Age Club, Assembly Hall JCC, 151 Chapel St., 1:00 p.m.  
State of Israel Bonds Ambassador's Ball, Chateau Laurier, 6:00 p.m.  
Talmud Torah Afternoon School Fundraiser "Shaking Like a Leaf," Centrepont Theatre, 8:00 p.m.

#### Tuesday, June 12

Jewish Community Centre Bet Chavura Drop-In JCC, 151 Chapel St., 1:30.  
Temple Israel Imre Rosenberg Memorial Lecture, Speaker: Prof. Irwin Cotler, 1301 Prince of Wales Dr., 8:00 p.m.  
Beth Shalom West Annual General Meeting, 15 Chartwell Ave., 8:00 p.m.  
Machzikei Hadas Sisterhood Closing Dinner, 2310 Virginia Dr., 6:30 p.m.

#### Wednesday, June 13

Jewish Community Council/Vaad Ha'Ir Annual General Meeting, Auditorium JCC, 151 Chapel St., 7:30 p.m.

#### Thursday, June 14

Jewish Community Centre Network Tour "Coat of Many Colours", Museum of Civilization, 6:00 p.m.  
Jewish Community Council/Vaad Ha'Ir Leadership Development Tour "Coat of Many Colours", Museum of Civilization, 7:00 p.m.

#### Friday, June 15

Temple Israel Adult Education Committee presents film, "Half the Kingdom", Panel Discussion with Dr. Deborah Gorham and Dr. Fran Klodowsky, 1301 Prince of Wales Dr., 9:15 p.m.

#### Monday, June 18

Golden Age Father's Day Luncheon, Auditorium JCC, 151 Chapel St., 12:30 p.m.  
Hillel Academy Raffle, 881 Broadview Ave., 8:00 p.m.  
Congregation Beth Shalom Cantorial Concert, Beth Shalom Synagogue JCC, 151 Chapel St., 8:00 p.m.  
United Jewish Appeal Women's Division Cabinet Meeting, home of Roz Kimmel, 9 Chesswood Ct., 7:30 p.m.

#### Tuesday, June 19

Jewish Community Centre Bet Chavura Drop-In JCC, 151 Chapel St., 1:30 p.m.  
Jewish Social Services Agency On Your Own Support Group, Library JCC, 151 Chapel St., 7:30 p.m.  
Ottawa Hadassah-WIZO Closing Meeting & Installation, 1400 Coldrey Ave., 7:00 p.m.

#### Thursday, June 21

Beth Shalom West Men's Club Meeting, Speaker: Rabbi Henry Brandt, Topic: Jewish Life in Germany & Jewish Problems in Germany, 15 Chartwell Ave., 8:00 p.m.

#### Sunday, June 24

Beth Shalom Sisterhood Tea, home of Rabbi and Mrs. Aranov, 600 Bessner St., 2:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.  
Jewish Community Centre 20/30 and Network Murder Mystery Evening, MacDonald Club, 153 Gilmour Ave., 7:00 p.m.  
Machzikei Hadas Sisterhood Garage Sale, 2310 Virginia Dr., 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

#### Monday, June 25

Golden Age Club, Assembly Hall JCC, 151 Chapel St., 1:00 p.m.  
Ecole Maimonides Dream Car Draw for 1990 Mazda Miata, 25 Esquimalt St., 7:30 p.m. — Cocktails, 9:00 p.m. — draw.

#### Thursday, June 26

Machzikei Hadas Gold Bond Draw, 2310 Virginia Dr., 6:30 p.m.  
Jewish Community Centre Partners of Two Backgrounds, 881 Broadview Ave., 8:00 p.m.

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From 13:00 to 16:00

#### Friday, June 15 Children's Museum

Songs and "sing-alongs" from many traditions including: Yiddish, Spanish, French Canadian and more, with Judith Cohen. (in French)  
From 11:00 to 11:45  
From 14:00 to 14:45

#### Sunday, June 17 Theatre

Traditional Judeo-Spanish songs (Ladino) with Gerineldo. Songs are performed a cappella or accompanied by the Middle Eastern lute, derbukka (goblet drum) or sonaza (tambourine). (in French)  
13:30 and 15:00

#### Sunday, June 17 Children's Museum

"Stories from the Past." Pantomimes of early Jewish settlers. Improvisational activities based on themes found in the exhibition. (in English)  
From 13:30 to 15:00

#### Thursday, June 21 Special Exhibition corridor

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From 13:00 to 16:00

#### Sunday, June 24 Special Exhibition Hall

"Ask the Rabbi" Rabbi I. Tanenbaum of Temple Israel and the Jewish Chataqua Association answer public questions on Jewish rituals, history and beliefs. (in English)  
From 15:30 to 16:45

#### Sunday, June 24 Arts & Traditions lobby

Artist Teena Tarrantour Goldberg creates an assemblage of boxes with coloured images.  
From 13:30 to 16:00 - (bilingual).

#### Sunday and Monday, June 24 and 25 Arts & Traditions lobby

Artist Howard Fox draws a traditional wedding contract (Ketuba). (in English)  
From 13:00 to 16:00

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